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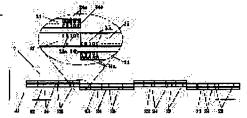
### (54) LED PRINT HEAD

# (57)Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To make a print head conform to wide printing by alternately arranging a first and a second light-emitting groups in a serpentine shape on a long substrate, and alternately holding a plurality of rod-shaped lenses corresponding to the first and second light-emitting groups by a holding member in a staggered shape.



SOLUTION: A substrate unit 2 has a first, a second lightemitting groups 22, 23 arranged alternately in a staggered shape in a longitudinal direction of a long circuit board 21 of ceramic or the like. Each of the first, second light-emitting groups has a plurality of LED arrays 24 arranged in a scan direction and a plurality of driving ICs 25 arranged in the scan direction to pair the



LED arrays 24 on the circuit board 21. A pair of holding members 32, 33 hold rod-shaped lenses to position nearly right over the first, second light- emitting groups 22, 23 along the arrangement of the LED arrays 24. This print head is thus adapted to wide printing and improved in printing accuracy.

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## **CLAIMS**

[Claim(s)]

[Claim 1] The LED print head characterized by holding alternately two or more cylindrical lenses corresponding to the said 1st and 2nd luminescence group by turns by the attachment component while stationing alternately by turns the 1st and 2nd luminescence group who arranged and constituted two or more LED arrays on a long substrate.

[Claim 2] The LED print head characterized by holding alternately two or more cylindrical lenses corresponding to the said 1st and 2nd luminescence group by turns by the attachment component while stationing alternately by turns the 1st and 2nd luminescence group who arranged and constituted two or more LED array and its IC for a drive on a long substrate.

[Claim 3] Claim 1 characterized by having distributed two or more LED arrays which constitute the 1st and 2nd luminescence group to the both sides of the train of said IC for a drive, and having arranged them while having arranged two or more ICs for a drive for driving said LED array to the single tier along with the longitudinal direction of said substrate, or an LED print head given in two. [Claim 4] Said LED array is claim 1 characterized by having in one two or more LED light-emitting

parts which carried out alignment arrangement thru/or an LED print head given in three.

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